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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Graham Vesey et al.**

Application No. **09/424,048**

Filed: **November 18, 1999**

35 U.S.C. 102(e) Date: **February 24, 2000**

For: **Antibodies to Cryptosporidium**



Group Art Unit: **1645**

Examiner: **Iesha Fields**

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment responding to the Office Action dated October 25, 2000.
2. Extension of Time: Applicants petition for a one month extension of time, the fees for which is \$110.00 as set out in 37 CFR § 1.17(a). If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.
3. Additional Papers Filed: None.
4. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims	22	minus	23	0	at \$18 each =	
Independent Claims	3	minus	4	0	at \$80 each =	
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$270.00	
SUB-TOTAL =						
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity						
TOTAL FEE =						

5. Fee Payment: Check in the amount of **\$110.00** is attached for payment of the one-month extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension of time fee or additional fee for claims due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

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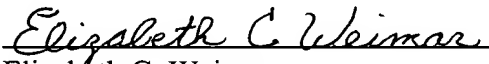
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6. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **Constructive Petition for Extension of Time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Dated: **February 26, 2001**
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated October 25, 2000 (Paper No. 6), the period for response to which has been extended through February 25, 2001 by the accompanying one-month extension of time (February 25, 2001 falling on a Sunday, this amendment being filed on the next business day), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 21 without prejudice or disclaimer.

REMARKS

The Office Action dated October 25, 2000 has been carefully reviewed and the forgoing amendments are made in response thereto. In view of these amendments and the following remarks, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of this application and the timely allowance of the pending claims.

I. Summary of the Office Action

1. Claim 21 was objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c) as being of improper dependent form for allegedly failing to further limit the subject matter of a previous claim.